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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION ACTION

In response to the Official Action dated June 13, 2006, wherein the Examiner has required an election of claims, Applicants hereby elects to prosecute in the present application

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the claims of Group I, i.e. claims 1-2 and 4-9 drawn to an expression cassette, modified staphylokinase gene, plasmid and recombinant of *E. coli* containing said plasmid. The election is made without prejudice to Applicant's right to file a divisional application directed to the non-elected claims.

Applicant has complied with the sole requirement in the Official Action and now respectfully requests an action on the merits of at least the elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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